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For:

IDENTIFYING MARKER, IDENTIFYING METHOD FOR IDENTIFYING MARKER,

IDENTIFYING SYSTEM FOR IDENTFYING MARKER, AND METHOD OF

PROVIDING IDENTIFICATION SERVICE

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 9, 2006, the period being extended from June 9, 2006 to August 9, 2006, based on the filing herewith of a Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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